

Sarasota Police Department Use Of Force Report

Incident Entered By: Officer Drusso Martinez - 1790
Assigned Investigator: [Incident pending assignment]

Incident Details

Date Received	Date of Occurrence	Time of Occurrence
5/18/2020	5/18/2020	19:50
Record ID #	Report #	File #
13042	20-030329	U20-0211
Date/Time Entered		
5/18/2020 23:20		

Incident Summary

Officers determined that probable cause existed to arrest Carroll for Domestic Battery. While placing Carroll in handcuffs, he continuously attempted to reach into his pockets. Once I was able to place him in handcuffs, he continued to attempt to reach into his pockets. A search of his person had not been conducted yet, so it was unknown what he had in his possession. I gave him numerous verbal commands to stop reaching into his pockets, all of which were ignored. Carroll began to flail his body and drop his bodyweight to the ground in an attempt to defeat officers efforts in escorting him to the rear of the patrol vehicle to be searched. I grabbed a hold of Carroll's right wrist and right elbow area and conducted a takedown. Carroll landed on his stomach, at which time he continued to flail his body and head. I placed my right knee on the back of his neck to better control his body, at which time he calmed down. I was able to then conduct a search of his person. I double locked the handcuffs and placed him in the rear of my patrol vehicle without further force.

Incident Location

- 1857 23rd Street, Sarasota, FL 34234 - Location of Occurrence: Zone 3 - Precinct: North District

Use of Force Specific Information

Reason for Use of Force	Service Being Rendered	
Arrest	Battery	
Weather Condition	Lighting Condition	Distance to Citizen
Clear	Daylight	0 to 1 foot
Citizen Injured	Citizen Taken to Hospital	Citizen Arrested
No	No	Yes
More than 1 Citizen Involved		
No		
Citizen's Build	Citizen's Height	
Medium	5'7" to 5'9"	
Member Assessment of Citizen Condition During Incident		
Unknown		
Member(s) Injured	Member(s) Taken to Hospital	
No	No	

Reporting/Involved Citizen Information

Patrick Q. Carroll

DOB: 6/18/1992 Race: Black Ethnicity: Gender: Male

Address

- 201 Grove Street, Sarasota, FL 34236
- 2236 Dixie Avenue, Sarasota, FL 34236

Phone

- (941) 544-1056

Role

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Types of Resistance Citizen Used Against Member(s)

- Verbal
- Presence
- Passive Physical
- Active Physical

Injuries sustained by this citizen

Injury	Regions	Injury Locations
No injuries noted or visible		

Charges against this Citizen

- Battery (Domestic)
- Resisting Officer W/O Violence

Involved Members

Officer Drusso Martinez - ID #: 1790

Assignment at time of incident: Title: Officer Patrol/Patrol

Video Footage: [No Response]

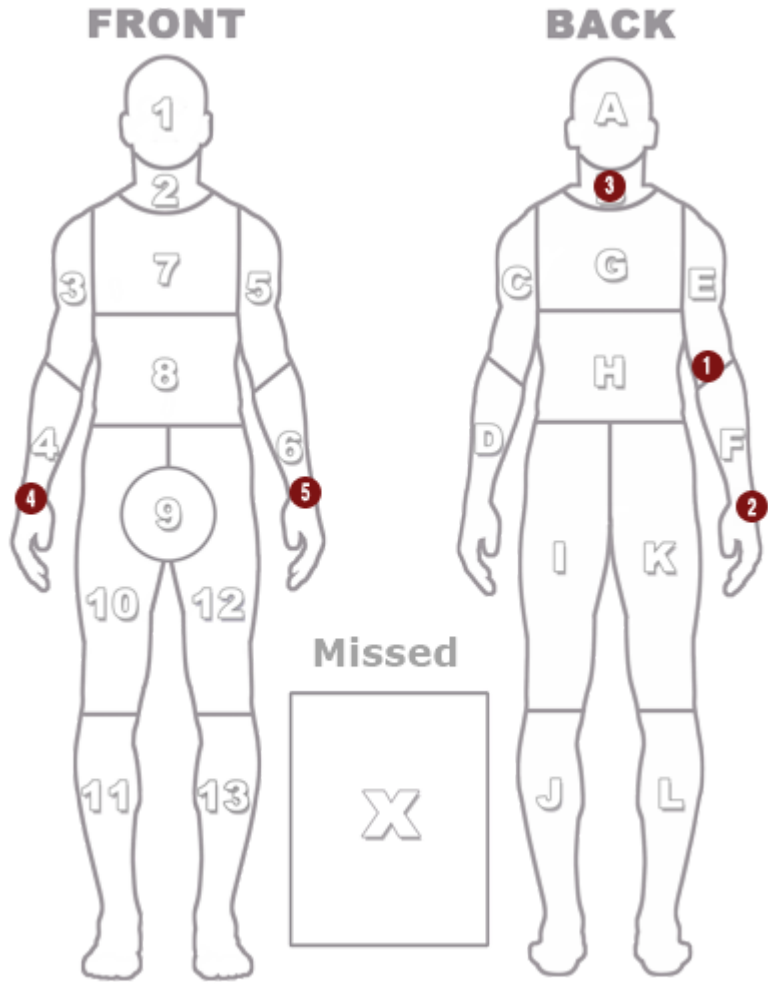
Role

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Force used by this member against the citizen

- Takedown - Was force effective: Yes
- Transporters - Was force effective: Yes
- Handcuffed (not double locked explain) - Was force effective: Yes
- Double Locked - Was force effective: Yes

Force Used	Effective?	Regions	Points of contact
Takedown	Yes	E, F	1, 2
Transporters	Yes	B	3
Handcuffed (not double locked explain)	Yes	4, 6	4, 5
Double Locked	Yes		



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Injury	Regions	Injury Locations
No injuries noted or visible		

Member Witnesses

Officer Amelia Wicinski - ID #: 1862

Video Footage: [No Response]

Role

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Tasks

No tasks to show

Running Sheet Entries

No running sheet entries to show

Attachments

Date Attached	Attachment Description	Attachment Type
5/18/2020	PCA	pdf
5/19/2020	Case	pdf

Assignment History

Sent Dt	From	To
6/1/2020	Sergeant Bryan Graham	Patrol, Patrol,
Assignment notes Field assigned		
Email sent to receiver No email sent		
6/4/2020	Admin Specialist Renee Gusto	(None Specified)
Assignment notes Field status changed in IAPro from In chain to Released		
Email sent to receiver No email sent		
6/4/2020	Admin Specialist Renee Gusto	(None Specified)
Assignment notes Released back to IAPro		
Email sent to receiver No email sent		

Chain of Command History

Routing #1	
Sent From:	Officer Drusso Martinez
Sent To:	Sergeant Christopher Devaney
CC:	(none)
Sent Date/Time:	5/18/2020 11:32 PM
Instructions from Officer Drusso Martinez to Sergeant Christopher Devaney:	
For review.	
Comments/Response from Sergeant Christopher Devaney:	
Comments: [Forwarded by Sergeant Christopher Devaney]	
Routing #2	
Sent From:	Sergeant Christopher Devaney
Sent To:	Lieutenant Bruce King
CC:	(none)
Sent Date/Time:	5/19/2020 2:37 AM
Instructions from Sergeant Christopher Devaney to Lieutenant Bruce King:	
I have attached the pertinent documents. Photos that show no injuries are attached to Officer Wicinski's UOF.	
Comments/Response from Lieutenant Bruce King:	
Comments: State what he was being arrested for. Per our discussion.	
Routing #3	

Sent From:	Lieutenant Bruce King
Sent To:	Officer Drusso Martinez
CC:	(none)
Sent Date/Time:	5/19/2020 3:46 AM
Instructions from Lieutenant Bruce King to Officer Drusso Martinez:	
see instructions.	
Comments/Response from Officer Drusso Martinez:	
Comments: [Forwarded by Officer Drusso Martinez]	

Routing #4

Sent From:	Officer Drusso Martinez
Sent To:	Lieutenant Bruce King
CC:	(none)
Sent Date/Time:	5/19/2020 4:10 AM
Instructions from Officer Drusso Martinez to Lieutenant Bruce King:	
Corrections made.	
Comments/Response from Lieutenant Bruce King:	
Comments: [Forwarded by Lieutenant Bruce King]	

Routing #5

Sent From:	Lieutenant Bruce King
Sent To:	Captain Demetri Konstantopoulos
CC:	(none)
Sent Date/Time:	5/19/2020 5:44 AM
Instructions from Lieutenant Bruce King to Captain Demetri Konstantopoulos:	
For your approval.	
Comments/Response from Captain Demetri Konstantopoulos:	
Comments: [Forwarded by Captain Demetri Konstantopoulos]	

Routing #6

Sent From:	Captain Demetri Konstantopoulos
Sent To:	Officer Matthew Hughes
CC:	Chief of Police Bernadette DiPino
Sent Date/Time:	5/19/2020 3:13 PM
Instructions from Captain Demetri Konstantopoulos to Officer Matthew Hughes:	
The application of force appears reasonable.	
Comments/Response from Officer Matthew Hughes:	
Comments: Incident routing was closed out by IAPro user Sergeant Bryan Graham and the incident was re-routed to Officer Drusso Martinez [1790]	

Routing #7

Sent From:	Sergeant Bryan Graham
Sent To:	Officer Drusso Martinez
CC:	(none)
Sent Date/Time:	6/1/2020 10:47 PM
Instructions from Sergeant Bryan Graham to Officer Drusso Martinez:	
You indicated firearm under force used by this member with no indication of firearm used in narrative. Please correct force used or add to narrative.	
Comments/Response from Officer Drusso Martinez:	
Comments: corrections made	

Routing #8

Sent From:	Officer Drusso Martinez
Sent To:	Officer Matthew Hughes
CC:	(none)
Sent Date/Time:	6/1/2020 10:52 PM

Instructions from Officer Drusso Martinez to Officer Matthew Hughes:

corrections made

Comments/Response from Officer Matthew Hughes:

Comments:
[Forwarded by Officer Matthew Hughes]

Routing #9

Sent From:	Officer Matthew Hughes
Sent To:	Sergeant Daniel Weinsberg
CC:	(none)
Sent Date/Time:	6/2/2020 8:07 AM

Instructions from Officer Matthew Hughes to Sergeant Daniel Weinsberg:

I have concerns regarding the officer putting his knee in the back of the subject's neck to maintain control. For your review.

Comments/Response from Sergeant Daniel Weinsberg:

Comments:
This UOF is currently under investigation by Internal Affairs.

Routing #10

Sent From:	Sergeant Daniel Weinsberg
Sent To:	Admin Specialist Renee Gusto
CC:	Lieutenant Rex Troche
Sent Date/Time:	6/3/2020 12:20 PM

Instructions from Sergeant Daniel Weinsberg to Admin Specialist Renee Gusto:

Please see comments

Comments/Response from Admin Specialist Renee Gusto:

Comments:
Routing was NOT handled in BlueTeam. The incident was forwarded into IAPro by IAPro user Admin Specialist Renee Gusto

Assigned Investigator Signature Line

[Incident pending assignment]

Chain of Command Signature Lines

Sergeant Christopher Devaney

Lieutenant Bruce King

Officer Drusso Martinez

Captain Demetri Konstantopoulos

Officer Matthew Hughes

Sergeant Daniel Weinsberg

Admin Specialist Renee Gusto